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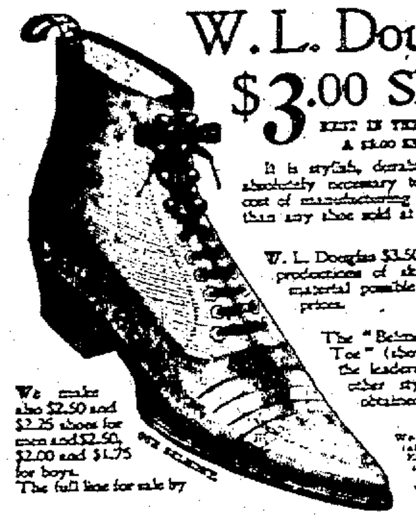

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And such merry, childish play
Have made us forget
We are old and worn
And have stolen our hearts away."

"My boy is so sweet,
So good and so true,"
Said the dear little mother that day.
"I am glad he is rich
In the best of best things
And has stolen your hearts away."
—Katharine D. Walker in Boston Globe.

WIDOW AND MAID.

Coming out of her son's sickroom, Mrs. Thomas met Bob Hilliard on his way down to breakfast.

"The doctor just went out, didn't he?" queried the young man as he reached the landing on which she was standing. "I thought I heard him. How is Tom this morning? Any better?"

She sat down in a big armchair standing by the window, laid her head on the window sill and burst into tears.

"It isn't as bad as that, is it?" he finally asked. "The doctor has not given him up altogether, has he?"

She raised herself up and wiped away the tears from her eyes.

"There is little hope, Bob. He didn't say so in so many words. He meant to be hopeful, but he failed."

"I suppose he is still delirious?"

"Yes. He is as bad as ever. He still keeps up that monotonous cry of 'Mary, Mary.' It is so curious when no one except himself knows who Mary is. Oh, Bob, if he should die without recognizing me! That is the hardest part of it all. He cannot last much longer unless a change comes for the better."

Bob turned toward the window and looked out on the square, with its great trees almost stripped of their autumnal splendor.

"Something has got to be done," he said half excitedly. "He can't die. He is too good a fellow, too bright a fellow, the kind of man the world needs most."

"But what?" Mrs. Thomas asked hopelessly. "The doctor has done everything that he could do, and we couldn't have done more."

Bob walked down the hall to the door of the room in which the sick man lay, and put his hand on the knob. Then he turned quickly and came back to the window, and the little figure in black crouched in the big armchair.

"Tom is delirious. We don't want him delirious. That is the point, Mrs. Thomas, isn't it?" said Bob.

Mrs. Thomas nodded her head.

"If the delirium passed away, he would sleep?"

"Yes."

"Well, that's it. He has got to sleep soundly."

"Did you ever hear of cases where the presence of one particular person in a sickroom exerted a great influence over a delirious person?"

"I might have, Bob; but I never knew any one who did it."

"Tom wants Mary," the young man went on, "and perhaps if she came to him she might save his life. I think it is worth trying; at any rate, it cannot do any harm."

"But who is Mary? You told me that you did not know."

"Yes, I know I did; I don't know for a certainty, but I think I could pick her out in a crowd. Tom never told me her name, but he told me a good deal about her. Putting one thing and another together, I think I may venture to say who Mary is."

"And who is she, Bob?"

"She is the unattainable, as Tom called her. She is wealthy, she is beautiful and she is said to be good. She is a leader in her set, and has as many young men running after her as she probably finds convenient. Her father is the chairman of the Great Southern Railway company, in whose employ Tom and I are fortunate enough to be."

"Mary Summerhayes! Why, she would never come here! It is almost ridiculous suggesting such a thing. You don't know her, do you?"

"I'm sorry to say that I don't. You see I am hardly in her set. Tom has met her, though. He was sent up to the chairman's house one day with some papers requiring Mr. Summerhayes' signature. He had to wait about half an hour, and during that interval Miss Summerhayes, who had found him greatly interested in a picture in the drawing room, showed him her father's collection. When Tom came home that night he told me about it. He started to tell me about the pictures, but when he had finished I found that I had heard a great deal about Miss Summerhayes and very little about the pictures."

"And is that the extent of his acquaintance with her?"

"I believe she bowed to him in the street one day afterward."

"She never would come here, Bob. The idea of asking her is absolutely ridiculous."

"It does seem that," assented Bob reluctantly. "But there does not appear to be any other way out of it."

"You don't understand it, Bob. She is a young woman, not one whose age would allow her to visit the bedside of a strange young man. You don't realise the position it would place her in."

"Perhaps not. When her father's office boy was sick, she visited him and carried him fruit and flowers, though."

"Yes, but he was only a boy. Tom is a young man, and that makes a great deal of difference."

"I dare say it does. Still, this is a matter of life or death, and she might come if you put it to her in that light."

"But I can't ask her, Bob."

"You must. He is your only son, and he is dying."

The little woman burst into tears again.

"Come, don't cry," he said tenderly. "I didn't mean to put it so brutally. I only wanted you to see it plainly."

"But I can't ask her. I haven't the courage."

"If she comes at all, it will be only because you, as his mother, asked it. She will do it out of sympathy with you, if she does it at all. It will be on the impulse of the moment. She won't stop to consider the impropriety of the thing. I couldn't create an impulse. We have got to lead trumps and play trumps all the time. If she won't come for you, she won't come at all."

He stopped and looked at her anxiously.

"Oh, I can't, Bob. It is such an awful thing to do."

The catch on the door of the sick man's room accidentally gave way, and the door swung slightly ajar. The nurse inside quickly closed it, but not before a plaintive cry of "Mary" had reached the two people in the hall.

"Well?" he said sententiously.

"I'll go, Bob. It will not be of the slightest use, but drowning people always clutch at straws."

"That's right," he exclaimed. "Get on your best clothes. It's a little early for a morning call, but the servants of [illegible] the Summerhayes are more easily impressed by good clothes than they are by anything else. I'll have a cab at the door for you when you are ready."

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Miss Mary Summerhayes sat in the armchair by the window of the hall and wondered why she had allowed herself to openly rebel against the social conventionalities so carefully drilled into her. She had endeavored to convince herself that she had come simply for the mother's sake, but somehow the conviction did not seem perfectly honest. An attempt to blame it on her impulsiveness resulted in an even greater failure. She grew half angry with herself, and once she arose from her chair with the intention of seeking safety in flight. But she sank back into the chair, for the reason that urged her to flight also chained her to the spot. Then she determined to face it bravely and found a great sweetness and content growing upon her. But even as it grew a fear replaced it, and all life seemed to go out of her body, for she remembered that his mother had said that he was dying.

When Mrs. Thomas came out of the sickroom, she found the girl weeping. She sat down on the arm of the chair and drew her toward her and comforted her.

"I am afraid you are somewhat upset," she said. "I am almost sorry I asked you to come. It is so good of you."

The girl dried away the tears from her eyes.

"I am a little hysterical, I think," she said. "But I am glad I am here if I can do anything to help you. Do you want me to go in now?"

"Do you feel strong enough?"

"Oh, yes; I am all right now. It was only a momentary weakness. Is he still delirious?"

"Just the same."

"There is no one else there?"

"No. I sent the nurse away for a little sleep."

"You will come in with me," she said as she opened the door.

The room was darkened, and the young girl stood in the doorway for an instant, accustoming her eyes to the dim light.

"Mary, Mary!" called the sick man as she stood there, and the mother, with her hand on the young girl's shoulder, felt a shudder run through her body. She led her to the bed, beside which a chair stood. Miss Summerhayes sat down and gazed at the pale face lying on the pillow. She placed one hand on the hot, fevered forehead and with the other took one of his.

"Mary has come," she said in a low voice, stroking his forehead and brushing back his hair.

After a few minutes the patient gave a little gasp of relief. She sat there for ten minutes longer, and only once did he again cry out "Mary!" and then the cry had changed from one of entreaty to content. In a few minutes his breathing showed that he was asleep, and the girl, bending over him, kissed him lightly on the forehead, disengaged her hand from his and arose from her chair.

"Take me away," she entreated as she fell into his mother's arms.

A week later Mary Summerhayes told her mother of her early visit to the house in the square. There were tears in her eyes.

"It does not matter now, mother. He is dead. Dead, and he never knew how much I loved him. He was conscious just before he died, and he whispered to his mother, 'tell her, mother, if you see her, that I loved her.' He died soon afterward. I saw his death in the newspapers—you remember the evening the Fergusons were here and I had that severe headache. It was a heartache, and I did not come down. The next day I went to see his mother, and she told me how he died, and we cried together over it."

"But, Mary, you surely did not love the poor fellow? Why, you had scarcely seen him before!"

"I feel that I shall never be able to love any one else in the same way, mother."

"But Mr. Roanoke, Mary. You will never have another chance to marry so advantageously."

"I like Mr. Roanoke very well—as a friend. I respect him too much to marry him. Then, you know, he has a terrible prejudice against widows," she continued with a light touch of her usual lively manner, and, in lapsing again into intense seriousness, "I am a widow, though a maid."—Exchange.

THE VIEWS OF TWO CANDIDATES

Which Shows the Truer Comprehension of the American System?

(From the Hon. William J. Bryan's Speech at Rhinebeck.)

I have visited some of your beautiful villas along the Hudson. I have been charmed with the beauty that commands them, but I beg you, when you study this question, to remember that those who, instead of occupying these magnificent places, must toil all day, under the summer sun, have just as much interest in the money question as anybody else. Remember that this question cannot be viewed from the standpoint of any class of people.

(From a Speech of the Hon. William McKinley at Canton.)

My countrymen, the most un-American of all appeals observable in this campaign is the one which seeks to array labor against capital, employe against employer. It is most unpatriotic and is fraught with the greatest peril to all concerned. We are all political equals here—equal in privilege and opportunity, dependent upon each other, and the prosperity of the one is the prosperity of the other. It is as Mr. Lincoln said to the committee from the Workingmen's Association of New York, in the campaign of 1864: "Prosperity is the fruit of labor; prosperity is desirable; it is a positive good in the world. That some should be rich shows that others may become rich and hence is just encouragement to industry and enterprise. Let no man who is homeless pull down the house of another, but let him work diligently and build one for himself, thus by example assuring that his own shall be safe from violence, when built."

"Poor Man's Money."

Some of the free silver advocates are claiming that silver is "the poor man's money." In this country there ought to be no such a thing as a poor man's or a rich man's money, but the people's money—as good in purchasing power and stability for the poor man as for the rich. In reality that is the kind of money we now have, every dollar's worth and kept by the people's government at 100 cents. The only way in which free silver can give us a poor man's money is by making everybody poorer, and that is just what it promises to do, and really does in every country where the silver basis prevails. Free silver will mean that it will take two silver dollars to buy what one dollar will buy now, and thus the poor man will have a harder time getting along than ever before. Yes, in that way free silver will become the poor man's money, but the poor man is not going to be a fool and vote for it.—York Dispatch.

Many a day's work is lost by sick headache, caused by indigestion and stomach troubles. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the most effectual pill for overcoming such difficulties. A. W. Colegrove, Smethport; A. B. [illegible], East Smethport.

GEMS FROM HARRISON.

The Ex-President Furnishes Some Interesting Food for Thought.

THE DEFENSE OF THE WEAK.

Judiciary the Body Intended to Stand Between the Rich and Poor.

PRESENT FINANCIAL QUESTION.

"If the Law Declared There Were Two Kinds of Bushels, One of Sixty Pounds of Wheat and One of Thirty Pounds of Wheat, What Farmer Would Deliver Wheat by the Sixty Pound Bushel."

The speech of ex-President Harrison in New York on last Thursday evening was one of the great efforts of the present campaign. His cold, clear cut reasoning appeals to all. The speech has been published in full in the metropolitan journals, but here are a few gems from it which may be studied with profit:

The courts are the defense of the weak. The rich and powerful have other resources, but the poor have not. The high-minded independent judiciary that will hold to the line in questions between wealth and labor, between the rich and the poor, are the defense and security of the defenseless.

You might just as well say that if we had two kinds of bushels, if the law should declare that sixty pounds of wheat was a bushel and thirty pounds of wheat was a bushel—well, what farmer would deliver wheat by the sixty pound measure if he had sold it by the bushel?

A party that cannot be split is a public menace. When the leaders of a party assembled in convention depart from its traditional principle and advocate doctrines that threaten the integrity of the government, the social order of our communities and the security and soundness of our finance it ought to split and it dignifies itself when it does split.

If I had nothing but a gold dollar and sugar is twenty pounds for a dollar I will not give that gold dollar for twenty pounds of sugar. I will take it around to a broker and get two silver dollars for it and get twenty pounds of sugar and have one silver dollar left. So it is, my friends. We can, of ourselves, with our own wisdom, declare the value. We can coin silver freely, but we cannot make sixteen ounces of silver equal to one ounce of gold unless it is. And it is not, unless the merchants take it at that rate. That is where all this thing comes in.

If it could be known tonight that the gallant soldier, that typical young American, that distinguished and useful statesman, William McKinley, of Ohio, would certainly be elected president, how the bears would take to cover on the stock exchange tomorrow. My friends, as a Republican, I am proud of many things, but I can sum up as the highest satisfaction I have had in the party and its career that the expectations of Republican success never did disturb business.

Take the men who have life insurance. A man has providently taken out a policy that his widow and children might not come to want when the bread winning hand was stricken in death; can they where the policy reads $5,000 make it $10,000? Can the managers of those institutions make it right with them? No. This policy coerces integrity. However honest a president of a savings bank may be, however full of sympathy the president of a life association may be, he is compelled to say: "All the loans of this company are scaled down to 50 cent dollars. We loaned dollars that were worth 100 cents, we are now being paid in the reduced dollar, although the integrity revolts against it, our honesty is coerced and we must pay the widow half."

The Republican party fronts the destructionist and trumpets its defiance to the enemies of sound money. It will fight, however, without covering any of the glorious mottos and inscriptions that are upon its banners. When the house is on fire—and many of our Democratic friends believe that to be the present domestic situation—the tenant on the top floor ought not to ask the tenant in the basement to bury any of his opinions before he joins the fire brigade, and our Democratic friends, who realize as we realize the gravity, the far reaching consequences of this campaign, ought not to ask the Republican party to reorganise itself to put aside any of the great principles that it has advocated in order to win a vote.

A disturbance which is purely local in a state is a state affair. The president cannot send troops or lend any aid unless the legislature calls upon him for help, or the governor, if the legislature is not in session. But when a law of the United States is invaded and broken, it is the sworn duty of the president to execute it, and this convention arraigns the president for doing what his oath compelled him to.

Comrades of the great war for the Union, some of those who went out to battle that the flag might not lose its lustre, will we consent after these years that that doctrine that was shot to death in the great war shall be revived and made victorious in a civil campaign. But this assault does not end there. The supreme court of the United States and the Federal lower courts are arraigned because they used the familiar writ of injunction to suppress violence to restrain men from breaking the law, and that the platform plainly means.

In connection with this financial matter, do we all recognize how important is the choice of a president? Do you know that as the law is now, without the passage of any free coinage of silver law at all, it is in the power of the president of the United States to bring the business of the country to a silver basis? All he has to do is to let the gold reserve go, to pay out silver when men ask for gold, and we are there already. It is only because the presidents of the United States that we have had, and the one we have now, have regarded it under the law as his public duty to maintain the gold basis, maintaining that parity between our silver and gold coins which the law declares is the policy of the government and because he has had the courage to execute the powers given to him by the constitution, not to carry out that declaration of public law.

The defense of the constitution, and of the integrity of the supreme court of the United States and of the president's power and duty to enforce all the laws of the United States without awaiting the call or consent of the governor of any state, is an important and living issue in this campaign. (Applause.) [illegible]

[illegible] are not eliminated, and that interstate commerce has its free way irrespective of state lines and courts, who fears to use our ancient and familiar power to sustain and punish lawbreakers, free trade and free silver will be appropriate accompaniments of such an administration and cannot add appreciably to the national distress or the national dishonor.

There is only one rule by which we can live lawfully as a nation or peacefully as citizens. It is the rule of the laws constitutionally enacted and finally interpreted by the judicial tribunal appointed by the constitution. When it becomes the rule that violence carries its end we have anarchy—a condition as destructive to honest labor and its rewards as death is to the tissues of the human body.

PROPERTY AND INDUSTRY.

Property is the fruit of labor. Property is desirable, is a positive good in the world. That some should be rich shows that others may become rich, and hence is encouragement to industry and enterprise. Let no man who is houseless pull down the house of another, but let him work diligently and build one for himself, thus, by example, assuring that his own shall be safe from violence when it is built.—ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

VOTERS MUST BE ASSESSED.

An Important Matter That Should Receive Prompt Attention.

Every citizen must be assessed sixty days before the annual election to secure his right to vote, and the time for assessing this year will expire on Wednesday, the 2d day of September. Persons not assessed on or before that day cannot vote at the November election.

The assessments made by the assessors in the different districts are now posted at the place where the elections are held, and each citizen who is at all in doubt about his assessment should examine the assessor's list and ascertain whether his name is on it. If not, he should at once apply to the assessor and have his name entered.

The assessor of each district is required to sit at the place for holding the election on Tuesday and Wednesday of next week for the purpose of hearing applications of persons who desire to be assessed, and if there is dispute as to the right of any person to be assessed application should be made in person on one of those days.

The constitution of Pennsylvania requires that each voter shall have been assessed at least two months before the election, and that the taxes necessary to qualify him as a voter must be paid at least one month before the election. It is important that every citizen should qualify himself as a voter, and the first duty now is to see that his name is on the assessor's list.

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Should Get Together.

The demand of the silverites is for cheap money. It is the main item in their creed. Plenty of cheap money to pay off the gold bugs' mortgages. But now comes the boy orator, who declares that the free silver coinage law will send silver up to $1.29 per ounce. If such is the case it will not be cheap money, but every bit as dear as gold. There is a contradiction here. Money can't be cheap and dear at the same time. Which is right? The boy orator or his followers? They ought to get together and try to reconcile their divergent views. As the case stands now the general public will refuse to believe either of them.—Hollidaysburg Register.

Bad for the People.

The government on its own account has coined all the silver that is in circulation, and guaranteed it to be kept at a par with gold. Whatever profit there was made from the difference in value of the silver in the dollar and the cost of the silver went to the government. We have now bimetalism, in that both silver and gold are used as a circulating medium and are kept at equal values. Free and unlimited silver coinage at 16 to 1 means that the owner of these silver mines can take to the United States mints and for 53 cents worth of silver, have coined a dollar. This would be a nice speculation for these silver kings, but a mighty bad thing for the people.—Everett Press.

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Food for Reflection.

The silverite orators insist that the dollars we have now, which are maintained at parity with gold by the government, are too good for the people of the United States—that they are really two-dollar dollars. There is food for reflection in this contention. The wage earners, the depositors in savings banks, the buyers of insurance, the pensioners and all other persons who are getting two-dollar dollars for their services or their dues, are asked to go to the polls and help themselves to money half as good! There have been atrocious political "fakirs" who have undertaken to impose upon the public credulity, but never before have they had the audacity to ask people to cheat themselves for the pleasure of cheating others.—Potter Enterprise.

How Much Is There In It?

Before voting for 50-cent dollars, would it not be well for the man who earns his bread by the sweat of his brow to require some sort of security from the paymaster that when they come in to common use he will get at least two where he gets one now? The mine owner will get his profit first, and such a thing might happen as his refusing to divide with the rest of us, and then we would be in a "box." Better have the contract all drawn up and signed, then we will know just how much there is "in it" for all of us.—Bradford Republican.

Does It Pay to be Sick?

Besides the discomforts and suffering, illness of any sort is expensive. Hundreds of people commit the error every day about coughs and colds. This is better than to suffer the disease to run along, but those who use One Minute Cough Cure for the throat and lungs do better still. It costs less and the cure is certain. You can get a trial bottle free of our agents, A. W. Colegrove, Smethport; C. M. Benson, Colegrove; [illegible], Newell.

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GEMS FROM [illegible]

Words to the [illegible] ing the Rights [illegible] and Con[illegible]

FRAUD ON THE [illegible]

Sentiments of [illegible] mend That Ap[illegible] Present Cr[illegible]

AN APPEAL TO [illegible]

[illegible]

"Sir, I [illegible]

"The natural hatred of the poor [illegible] rich." [illegible]

"The natural hatred of the poor [illegible] the rich." [illegible]

"Has he a dollar? [illegible]

"Sir, the very men of all others [illegible]

"Capitalists too, [illegible]

"I would say to every [illegible]

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REPUBLICAN TICKET.

ELECTORS-AT-LARGE.

Alexander E. Patton,	Joseph Wharton,
William Wilhelm,	Lyman D. Gilbert.

DISTRICT ELECTORS.

Dr. John L. Ferguson,	Henry C. Frenzel,
Adam H. Bricker,	J. B. Brown,
Frank H. Beasley,	Frederick H. Eaton,
Jas. Lawrence Myers,	L. Brown Miller,
William M. Coppers,	E. H. Arnhold,
Joseph D. Hassell,	George T. Swank,
William F. Sulzer,	Hon. A. C. White,
John Fritz,	William M. Randolph,
Samuel L. Simmons,	Emanuel Wertheimer,
John M. Lamilia,	Josiah Speer,
[illegible] Warner,	Edward E. Abrams,
A. W. Willis,	[illegible] Seibel,
Lorraine Bell,	William Scheuer,
A. W. Miller,	Joseph C. Campbell.

FOR PRESIDENT,
WILLIAM McKINLEY.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT,
GARRETT A. HOBART.

FOR CONGRESSMEN AT LARGE,
GALUSHA A. GROW,
SAMUEL A. DAVENPORT.

FOR CONGRESS,
CHAS. W. STONE.

FOR STATE SENATOR,
WALTER T. MERRICK.

FOR REPRESENTATIVES,
HERMAN H. NORTH,
R. A. DEMPSEY.

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY,
SHERIDAN GORTON.

FOR PROTHONOTARY, ETC.,
GEO. W. MITCHELL.

FOR SHERIFF,
J. FRED DAVIS.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONERS,
WILLIAM A. YOUNG,
LEMUEL DAVIS.

FOR COUNTY AUDITORS,
S. G. CANNON, JR.,
C. W. FREEMAN.

TERRANCE V. POWDERLY has come out squarely for sound money and McKinley.

EX-PRESIDENT HARRISON at New York and Tom Reed at Orchard Beach last week fired some red hot shot into the free silver caravan that will have a telling effect on that shaky hulk.

"I am for Free Wool," says Free Trader Bryan. Yet he is making his campaign fight on the strongest form of protection for silver. How is this, Mr. Bryan?—American Economist.

AT the Democratic convention in Indianapolis Thursday, Gen. John M. Palmer of Illinois was nominated for president and Gen. Simon B. Buckner of Kentucky for vice president on a civil service reform, tariff for revenue only and sound money platform.

EX-PRESIDENT HARRISON, in his New York speech, said: "My friends, as a Republican, I am proud of many things, but I can sum up as the highest satisfaction I have had in the party and its career, that the prospect of Republican success never did disturb business."

HON. ANDREW D. WHITE, ex-president of Cornell University, in the September Forum points to the danger that confronts us in the present crisis. Men who desire to be honest in the questions that are before them should heed the advice of such deep thinkers as Mr. White. Cast your vote for McKinley and good government.

FIRST Silverite (in towering rage): "Them 'ere bloodsuckin' manufacturers of the East are stoppin' at nothin' to hurt the cause of free silver with their workmen." Second Silverite: "What are they doing now?" First Silverite (grinding his teeth): "Why, they are payin' them their wages in nothin' but silver dollars."—Puck.

THE Port Allegany Reporter of last week alleges that the MINER made the assertion in the issue of Aug. 21st that an attorney wrote the editorials of the Reporter. The MINER made no such allegations. It simply said "the mighty quill driver, with a disciple of Blackstone at his back." After carefully perusing the editorial columns of the Reporter, the MINER feels satisfied that it owes the attorneys of Port Allegany an humble apology.

VERMONT has spoken in thunder tones for Republican principles. The election held in the Green Mountain State last Tuesday was a most agreeable surprise to the friends of protection and sound money. A Republican majority of 39,000, a gain of 17,000 over last year's vote, demonstrates beyond a doubt that the honest toilers of that State were well aware of the danger that threatened the nation, and by their superb majority have said to the other States, we will not tolerate such doctrine as was formulated by the Chicago convention. Next Monday Maine will voice her sentiments with equally good results.

FOLLOWING Mr. Bryan throughout the country is a very industrious gang of thieves. At Ripley, N. Y., while the band played on, and while the magnetic candidate poured forth his praises of free silver, a banking institution in the town was entered by robbers, through a rear window, and all the currency in sight was appropriated. The haul amounted to $600. The crooks had financial ideas of their own that were based on a practical principle. The silver mine owners expect to make a profit of 47 cents on every dollar of their coined bullion and will be quite well satisfied with that rake-off, but the financiers who operated at Ripley took the whole pot. Their profit was 100 cents on the dollar.—Bradford Era.

THE address delivered at Carnegie Hall, in New York city, last week, by ex-President Harrison more than measured up to the expectations of the country. Everyone—Republican, Democrat and Populist—looked for a logical speech from the eminent statesman. All were more than surprised at the able manner in which he handled the great issues of the day, and the day following the delivery of the speech the business man, the farmer, the mechanic and laborer were all united in pronouncing it one of the strongest, clearest and most logical speeches delivered in this campaign. Candid silverites have been heard to pronounce it an honest and straightforward address. They are unable to answer his accusations in regard to the plank in their platform relative to the Supreme Court of the United States. When men of such high character and standing as Benj. Harrison, T. B. Reed and Bourke Cockran (the latter being a Democrat) unite on the political platform and discuss the great issues of the day from comparatively the same standpoint, it certainly ought to carry conviction to any fair-minded man.

Our recent political editorial and questions put to that profound Democratic philosopher, the editor of the Port Allegany Reporter, have so utterly rattled him that you can hear a veritable free silver chink in his reply. In fact he doesn't reply, but indulges in words, words, words.

Will Chas. O. Laymon "lend his ears" for one moment. He says "it is impossible to coin a silver dollar that shall be worth a dollar to the silver producer and only fifty-three cents to others." But that is just what he and his Popocrat party are trying to do. The government is able to keep the limited number of silver dollars now in existence equivalent to gold dollars, but this free silver party wants to let all the world bring silver to the mints of the United States and get a silver dollar for every 371 1-2 grains of it. Do that and the government could not keep the unlimited number of dollars at a parity, and they would have to circulate at the value of the bullion in them, and that now is 53 cents.

This "wise man of Greece" and his party want to allow silver mine owners to bring 53 cents worth of bullion to the government mints and put a government stamp on it and force it onto their creditors as a full dollar. The fact is, brother Laymon, you are training with the repudiationists, and if you were allowed politically to run into the destruction of the credit of this nation by your free silver heresies, you would be compelled to put the price of your subscription at $3.00, and mercy knows it's high at $1.50.

The intrinsic value of your brains would not differ much from that of corn and wheat, no matter what Democratic tricks you might play with your silver dollars.

Suppose your party had its say. You would call 53 cents' worth of silver a dollar and make it legal tender, and compel creditors to accept it as a dollar, but you know that every trader and every newspaper man would raise the price of his goods and compel purchasers to hand over one fifty-three cent dollar and forty-seven cents of another so-called dollar to reach the value of an honest dollar.

But we are very much afraid this is all you can digest well for this time and we will close with one more plain question. Have you heard from the late election in Vermont?

WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Special Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, Aug. 31, 1896.—The harmony among the silver men is of the fighting brand. According to Democratic gossip "Silver Dick" Bland, who started to accompany the boy talker on his swing around the Eastern circle, was so unmercifully snubbed by Bryan that he refused to stay with the party under any circumstances, although in leaving it he sacrificed a remunerative contract to swap almighty bad English accounts of the tour for numerous one-hundred-cent dollars from the strong box of a newspaper publisher. The exact cause of the snubbing is not given, but the foundation appears to have been Bryan's belief that "Silver Dick" didn't know enough to make real platform speeches. I will not vouch for the snubbing part, but it is certain that "Silver Dick" left the Bryan party ten days or more ago and that he has since then been staying with a friend in the suburbs of Washington. This, coupled with the rough shod manner in which Bryan has walked over every Democrat who has opposed his slightest whim since the Chicago convention, gives the snubbing story an air of probability.

The confidence with which the prominent silver Democrats started in to rush Bryan into the White House has all disappeared, and they are now so timid that they are allowing themselves to be bossed by the radical Populists of the Tom Watson stripe, and they are running hither and thither, seeking some evidence that Bryan has even a fighting chance to win. Chairman Faulkner, of the Congressional committee, went to Chicago last week to see whether Chairman Jones, of the National Committee, was able to cheer him up, and since his return he has found it harder than ever to keep up a bold front.

Secretary Mercer, of the Republican Congressional Committee, thinks the vote cast in November will be phenomenally large. Speaking on the subject, he said: "There never was such wide spread interest in a campaign. I know that in my own district in Nebraska, the votes polled at the primaries reached almost the total of a general election. Men who were sick braved relapses in order to get to the polls, and I know of one instance where a man was rolled to his voting place in an invalid's chair. With such interest in a primary, what will be the vote when election day comes around?"

Nobody in Washington took pitchfork Tillman's absurd challenge of ex-President Harrison for a joint debate seriously, any more than Mr. Harrison did. It was merely an effort of Tillman to keep himself before the public. When joint debates occur, they are usually between men of the same standing. Nothing but amusement was caused by Tillman's mistaking the curiosity which brought out big crowds to hear him speak in the mining sections of Pennsylvania, for enthusiasm for free silver. Pennsylvania Republicans are unanimously of the opinion that the size of the majority for McKinley will break the record, and some of them express the opinion that the Indianapolis ticket will poll more votes in the State than Bryan will.

According to R. C. Kerens, who knows a thing or two about Missouri politics, that State is going Republican to a dead certainty. Mr. Kerens, "Dick" is what everybody around Republican headquarters calls him, made a flying trip to Washington to consult with Chairman Babcock, of the Congressional committee, and while in the city he said: "The Republican party is united and determined to win. The Democrats are hopelessly split and with three parties in the field we are going to succeed and we ought to succeed. The Democrats have held the administration of Missouri for 30 years, nearly a third of a century, and it is time for a change."

While the Democrats have been making their eastern bluffs the Republicans have been sending convincing literature broadcast through the west. The result is now becoming apparent to even the most rabid Bryanite. Reports from nearly all the western States show that the silver wave which followed the Chicago convention is rapidly receding, and if things continue to go as they are now going, well informed Republicans will not be surprised if McKinley and Hobart carry not only all the great agricultural States of the middle west, but also some of the silver States. McKinley and Hobart are also rapidly gaining ground in the south. West Virginia, Maryland and Kentucky are put into the McKinley column by some very conservative men.

"Boys will be boys," but you can't afford to lose any of them. Be ready for the green apple season by having De-Witt's Colic & Cholera Cure in the house. A. W. Colegrove, Smethport, A. E. Stickles, East Smethport.

A PARTY WORKER'S OPINION OF MR. LINDSLEY.

To several gentlemen of Smethport the lop-sided egotist who, by reason of misplaced confidence, was taken from the job room to the editorial chair, has said that he has not read Mr. Bryan's New York speech, nor any other speech delivered by Mr. Bryan. He has acknowledged to reading extracts from them, and on these extracts condemns Mr. Bryan. The Democrat arrogates to itself the right to dictate to the Democratic party in McKean county. It classes itself as a reputable paper. It proclaims itself a follower of Jefferson, yet in very truth its conduct stamps it as a most disreputable sheet and a violator of Jeffersonian principles in almost every editorial it puts out on political matters. It refuses to endorse the work of the Chicago convention because, it says, the free silver element stole a delegation and thus secured control of the party machinery. It then refuses to support the nominees of that convention because the majority was not fairly secured—rejecting the time honored principle of Democracy, that the majority should rule. It gives as a reason for its opposition that the majority was fraudulently obtained. Coming along to the convention in Smethport, it never intimates that any attempt was made to pack the convention. It does not accuse the party workers of any political trickery in the matter of getting a majority, yet when that convention, composed as it was of men whose Democracy is unchallenged, nominated Mr. Conley, what does the self-appointed censor of his party do? He insults every delegate to that convention by refusing Mr. Conley's name a place on the ticket at the head of his paper. Why? Because, forsooth, the convention did not nominate his choice; he, the man whose disease of bighead has placed him above party, whose egotistic indulgences in self admiration have made him more competent to judge of the expediency of party moves than the majority which Jefferson said should rule, refuses to endorse what the combined party advocates, and tells the Democrats of McKean county that he owes nothing to them. Ignorance, ingratitude and inconsistency never owed anything in their own estimation. Had a man of ordinary business principles been at the visible head of the Democrat office he would not have thrown himself open to the charge that he wished to force the Democrats to buy the plant. He would not have said, as this crude job printer has repeatedly said on Smethport's streets, that if the Democrats of McKean county wanted a newspaper to support their crazy ideas they could buy the Democrat and he would step out. No, Mr. Lindsley, the Democratic party in McKean county existed before the ill-starred series of accidents which landed you in the editorial chair. It will live when you will have learned the meaning of the words Democracy and honor—and that time is a long way off, because a self conceited egotist is always very slow to learn. The Democrats will not buy the sheet over which you preside, and if ever the full realization of your blunders finds a way inside your egotistical brain, you will—but why predict anything of the job printer down town. An asses' way is always enigmatical.

A PARTY WORKER.

Last of the Season—Are You Going?

The W. N. Y. & P. R'y announces a grand double excursion to Niagara Falls to Toronto for Tuesday, September 8th. Special fast train will leave Smethport at 8:00 a. m., arriving at Buffalo at 11:45 a. m., Niagara Falls at 12:30 p. m. and Toronto at 4:30. Fare to Niagara Falls and return, $2.50. Tickets good returning on special train leaving Niagara Falls 7:30 p. m. on day of excursion and on all regular trains Wednesday, September 9th. Fare to Toronto and return, $3.50; tickets good returning on all regular trains on or before Saturday, September 12th.

Toronto passengers go via Lewiston and one of the Palace Steel Steamers of the Niagara Navigation Co.'s fleet, giving a delightful sail of sixty miles down the Niagara river and across Lake Ontario. No other line can equal this. Four boats daily in each direction between Lewiston and Toronto. Canada's Great Exposition at Toronto September 1st to 12th. Thursday, September 10th, American's day, the biggest day of the fair. General admission 25 cents. Do not fail to be there as the trip assures the cheapest and most delightful outing of the season.

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From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Dimondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist church at Rives Junction she was brought down with pneumonia succeeding la grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in its results." Trial bottles free at A. W. Colegrove's and A. R. Armstrong & Co's drug stores. Regular size 50c and $1.00.

Last of the Season.

The Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburg R'y will run their last excursion of the season to Buffalo and Niagara Falls on Tuesday, Sept. 15th. Not before another year will there be an opportunity to visit the Queen City of the Lakes and the grandest cataract in the world under such favorable circumstances. The stupendous magnitude and majesty of Niagara has entranced thousands, filling them with wonder and awe before the beauty and grandeur of this sublime spectacle.

Train leaves Bradford at 4:20 p. m., arriving at Buffalo at 7:20 p. m. and Niagara Falls at 9 p. m. Tickets will be good returning from Niagara Falls on or before Friday, Sept. 18th, and from Buffalo on or before Saturday, Sept. 19th. Fare, round trip, only $2.50.

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List of Letters

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Persons calling for these letters please say "advertised."

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SINGERLY FOR SOUND MONEY.

For the benefit of Brother Laymon we publish an extract from the speech of the able Democratic editor of the Philadelphia Record, Wm. M. Singerly, delivered at Wilmington, Del., recently. Mr. Laymon will readily remember how two years ago he lauded the above named gentleman while he was a candidate for governor of this great commonwealth.

Holding up a silver dollar in his hand Mr. Singerly said: "That represents faith and value—fifty cents' worth of faith and fifty cents worth of value—faith that the United States Government has placed upon the metal by its stamp."

Then holding up a $5 gold piece Col. Singerly said: "This represents value without faith. It is worth $5 in any part of the world. That is the difference between gold and silver. If that silver is worth 50 cents of faith and 50 cents of value, why cannot we make our coin out of nickel and make 5 cents' worth of value and 95 cents' worth of faith? The effect of the scare that there is a possibility, a remote one, that the silver men will win has caused more harm to business than the total amount of our national debt. The fear that silver will triumph has caused a great shrinkage of values. The effect of meetings of this kind in all parts of the country is very opportune. It shows to surrounding States that you are just as alive to the issues of the day as we are. It shows them that you are honest. I think that Mr. Bryan's famous statement about the cross and crown should read, 'You shall not press down this crown of thorns on the brow of labor nor crucify American manhood on the cross of a bogus American silver dollar.'

"The business outlook is very dark and disastrous. Judging from what has been done so far, in the event of free coinage the depreciation of values would be unprecedented in the history of the country. There is no reason why the United States should be made a dumping ground for all the silver that the world produces. You might just as well issue certificates on potatoes, corn or wheat and store it in warehouses as to issue them on silver and store it also in warehouses. The present situation is one of the greatest trials this country has ever seen. I urge upon you to perfect your organization and blot out all such policies and heresies as advocated by the so-called Democratic convention held in Chicago."

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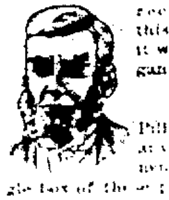

AYER'S

Pills that I received anything like permanent benefit. A single box of these pills did the work for me, and I am now [illegible]."—H. H. Hutchinson, [illegible] Me.

For the rapid cure of Constipation, Dyspepsia, [illegible], and all disorders of the Stomach, Liver, and Bowels, take [illegible]

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Medal and Diploma at World's Fair.
Ask your druggist for Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

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"There are none more miserable than epileptics. For 35 years I suffered with epileptic fits, having as high as five in one night. I tried any number of physicians, paying to one alone a fee of $50.00 and have done little for years but search for something to help me, and have taken all the leading remedies, but received no benefit. A year ago my son, Chas. S. Gallaher, druggist at 101 Reed St., Milwaukee, gave me Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine, and I tried it with gratifying results. Have had but two fits since I began taking it. I am better now in every way than I have been in 20 years."

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SEE TOM ABOUT IT.

License Transfer Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN APplication will be made to the Court of Quarter Sessions of McKean county, at Smethport, Pa., on Tuesday, September 8, 1896, at 2 o'clock p.m., or as soon thereafter as practicable to transfer the hotel license of Jonas Artley to Christopher C. Urquhart and Thomas McDonald. The said license was granted to Jonas Artley under date of May 11, 1896, to keep an inn or tavern known as the "American House," situated at the corner of East Main street and Kendall avenue in the Sixth ward of the City of Bradford, McKean Co., Pa. The residence of the said Transferees is Bradford, McKean Co., Pa., and their occupation [illegible].

W. J. MILLIKEN,
Attorney for Applicants.

Charter Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN OF THE intention of C. B. Lay, R. W. Balcom and Chas. T. Lay of Kane, Pa., H. K. Hall of Allegheny City, Pa., and D. F. Sheehan of New York City, to make application to the Governor of Pennsylvania, at Harrisburg, Pa., on the 8th day of September, 1896, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, for a charter of incorporation as "The Lay & Balcom Manufacturing Company," under the provisions of the Act of Assembly entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved the 29th day of April, 1874, and its supplements, for the purpose of manufacturing, selling and dealing in [illegible] butter dishes, [illegible] and wooden utensils of all kinds, brewer's chips and wooden utensils of all kinds, the business of said corporation to be transacted in the borough of Port Allegany, McKean county, Pa.

E. R. MAYO,
Solicitor for Incorporators.

Notice.

In the matter of the assigned estate of Chas. H. Moore for the benefit of creditors. | In the Court of Common Pleas of McKean County, Pa. No. 112 February Term, 1891.

TO ALL PARTIES CONCERNED:—Fred E. Bowley and Samuel W. Smith, Assignees of Chas. H. Moore for the benefit of creditors, having presented their petition for an order discharging them from their said trust and their bondsmen from further liability, a rule to show cause was granted, returnable September 8th, A. D. 1896, at 2 o'clock p.m., and an order will be made at the commencing of Court at 2 o'clock p.m. of the said day discharging said Assignees from their trust and their bondsmen from liability, unless cause to the contrary is shown.

GEO. W. MITCHELL,
Prothonotary.

Smethport, Pa., June 22d, 1896.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the judges of the Court of Common Pleas, Quarter Sessions, etc., at a session thereof to be holden at Smethport, Pa., on Tuesday, September 8th, A. D. 1896, for the transfer to me E. A. Coleman, now residing at the Pierre House, in the First Ward of the City of Bradford, my present occupation being that of hotel clerk, of a certain license for a hotel, known as the "Industry Hotel," situate on the West side of Davis street, in the First Ward of the City of Bradford, Pa., at Nos. 11 and 13 Davis street, which license was on the 11th day of May, 1896 granted to one Edwin J. Durkee to commence and be in force and effect on June 1st, A. D., 1896, for one year.

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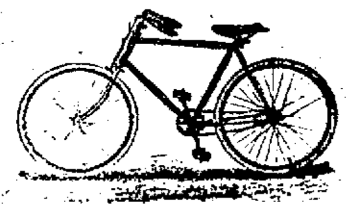

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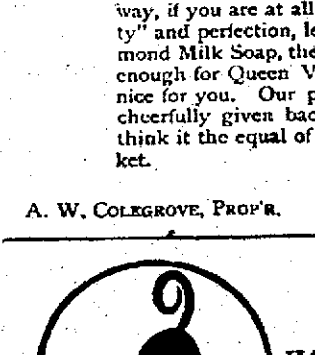

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WESTFIELD
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SATURDAY,
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Game Called at 3 P. M

"HULDA," our ever-popular home-grown twirler, will preside in the box, and if McFall's Pets win they will have to play ball

McKean County Miner

Entered at the postoffice at Smethport as second class mail matter

SMETHPORT FRIDAY, SEPT 4 1896

LOCAL AND GENERAL

School commences next Monday

Do not fail to hear Dr Ashley to-night

Read the base ball advertisement at the head of this column

The Jewish New Year commences next Monday at sun down

Tull will pitch the game to-morrow for Smethport against Westfield

The store occupied by John Walker has received a new coat of paint.

W. P. Eckel's is having a new barn constructed on his King street property

Street Commissioner Ramer has placed an excellent culvert on East street.

H C Wells has had water connections placed in his residence on Ross Hill Avenue.

Corrected court notes Argument court Tuesday, Sept. 8, Civil court Monday Sept. 14.

Forty thousand veterans were in line marching to inspiring music at St. Paul last Wednesday

Mrs Hattie Eastman of Jamestown was visiting her sister Mrs. G H To'es of Farmers Valley last week.

The little daughter of A. L. Colegrove, whose recovery was almost despaired of, has fully recovered.

-Hons. Galusha A. Grow and William A. Stone will both speak for sound money at the Westfield fair Sept. 17.

MacCorlane Mason will sing a solo to-night at the lecture given in the M. E. church Do not fail to attend.

Charles Johnson of Kane was committed to jail last Saturday by Justice Lemuel Davis on the charge of larceny.

Read the communication in another column from Dr. Burg Chadwick, regarding the vaccinating of school children

Frank Irons who has been sick with typhoid fever sometime is rapidly declining and there are no hopes of his recovery

Last Monday at Gifford's mill a saw log 8 feet long was manufactured into lumber in 8 minutes. The log scaled 171 feet,

If you wish to spend the evening in a profitable and enjoyable manner, go and hear Dr Ashley to-night at the M. E. church

—The rooms over the store of F. G. Lindholm & Co., are receiving extensive repairs and when finished will be occupied by Leigh Gridley.

Wilbur Oviatt has the contract for building the school house at Cyclone and is rushing the work to have the building ready for the fall term.

—Smethport vs. Westfield at Hamlin Park to-morrow (Saturday). Game called at 3:00 p. m. Tull will do the pitching for the home team.

—Last Monday night about twenty ladies and gentlemen came down from Mt. Alton and pleasantly surprised the members of the Rebecca Lodge of this place.

—Messrs Gifford are fitting up the old store building at the lower end of Bob Town for their lumber office and when finished will be a very neat and attractive place,

—The MINER is authorized by Dr Burg Chadwick to state that the vaccine virus used is taken from sound healthy cattle inspected by the State board of health

—Arthur S Olmstead and Wm Wilson of Coudersport arrived Wednesday and have been engaged in placing a furnace in the residence of C. M. Colegrove on King street.

Frank Cummings of Willow street has a pear tree that was set out one year ago last spring, that has 11 good sized pears on it and also has blossoms at the present time

—Mrs W. Smith of Coleville wishes to extend her heartfelt thanks to the neighbors and friends who so kindly assisted her during her late husband's sickness and death

Mrs John C. Brenernan and son, Walter of the Henderson House, Bradford, departed last Saturday for Washington, Pa. where she will visit her sister Mrs. George Walker

—The date of the Falcon road race at Olean has been changed from Sept. 11 to Sept. 12. All who are interested in bicycle races will miss rare sport if they fail to attend this road race.

—A. E. Stickles of East Smethport received 900 fine strawberry plants last week and next year he expects to be able to supply the home market with a first-class variety of strawberries.

Next Sunday morning Father Flood of Eldred will hold early mass at Mt. Alton at 8 o'clock, after which he will come to Smethport and hold servies in St. Elizabeth's church at 10.30 a. m

On the first page will be found the official directory which has been corrected as far as possible. If any mistakes are found among the lodges members will confer a favor by reporting the same at once.

Be sure and lend your aid to the young ladies who are endeavoring to raise money to build a new sidewalk at East Smethport. They will serve ice cream and cake on the Frances Oviatt lawn

The MINER received a short letter from D. Burlingame of ... late, Saturday that has the true ring to it. He closes his letter by saying "Yours for McKinley Sound Money and Protection"

There will be a meeting of the Republican club to-morrow night at the Sprague building. The president requests all members to be present as business of importance will be brought before the club

On Wednesday evening Sept. 9th there will be a biscuit and honey social on the lawn of the E. P. Carter residence at East Smethport for the benefit of the Union church. A cordial invitation is extended to all

The board of trade at Coudersport has given sufficient encouragement to the owners of the Maugle roller works which were recently destroyed by fire at that place and they have concluded to rebuild, says the Enterprise

—The dance given by Messrs. LeFevre and Gorton at the opera house last Tuesday night was one of the social events of the season. Elmer Heath and Miss Lena Wright furnished music for about fifteen couples. This is the last dance before the college boys leave

Miss Myrtle Peck was very pleasantly surprised Wednesday evening by about thirty of her young friends at her mother's residence on Franklyn street. A very enjoyable time was had by all present. Mrs. ... olvin and daughter Miss Peck will move to Cuba next Monday

At the Baptist church next Sunday evening Rev. E. E. Taylor will preach his second sermon on "Faithfulness in small things," being a continuation of the subject of last Sunday evening. Saturday afternoon the covenant and business meeting will be held at 2 o'clock.

In another column will be found an attractive advertisement of O. T. Bard of East Smethport. Mr Bard has recently started out in business for himself in the grocery line. His store is a picture of neatness and his prices are graded to suit the times. Be sure to give him a call

Many will remember with pleasure the very enjoyable parlor concert given at Mrs. Lucius Rogers the beginning of last season. A similar concert under Mr. Wilson's direction will be given next Monday evening at 8 o'clock at same place under the auspices of St. Luke's hold

—The MINER is in receipt of a ticket for the first annual race meet of the Central Cycle Club to be held at Bradford Driving Park, Thursday, Sept 10, 1896. The prizes offered at this race range in value from $15 to $85 and some speedy riding will be done. Don't fail to be in attendance.

—Frank, the 13 year old son of David Hall, an employee at E. B. Dolley's mill at Colemans, was drowned in the mill pond at that place Friday evening last. The boy was walking logs and fell in. His body was not recovered until Saturday. The remains were interred in Grimes District cemetery

—Several wheelmen have made complaint about the condition of the road on the south side of the Marvin creek bridge owing to the large quantity of small stones that cover the highway for a short distance. These stones ought to be removed as they add neither to the pleasure of driving or bicycling

—The young ladies of East Smethport will serve ice cream and cake on the lawn in front of the Frances Oviatt house, at East Smethport, to-morrow night. The proceeds are to be used in the building of a new sidewalk from the W N Y & P depot to the bridge. Make it a point to be present or send your money, as everyone should contribute to this fund.

—It is claimed that Fred Browdell visited Olean last Saturday and while there the crowd mistook him for Arthur Sewell the Democratic candidate for Vice President. Fred was prevailed upon to mount a dry goods box and our informant said that he made an excellent free silver speech, much to the gratification of the Oleanders.

—The famous Trilby base ball team is still in the ring and Monday succeeded in defeating the invincible Cyclones from Ormsby. Score 23 to 13. It was interesting notwithstanding the large score. Among the features was the stick work of Mike Hanley, the twirling of Rabin and McCabe and Morrison's catching. Hugh Hanley carried off all the honors for the visitors.

Lindholm & Co., have just received their first fall shipment of Ladies' Cloaks and are now prepared to show the very latest.

—Will Pinkard while coming from Bradford last Friday night met with a rather startling accident. His horse stepped into a broken culvert throwing the animal down, breaking the harness and cart and throwing Will over the horse where he struck on his head and shoulders. Fortunately there was no serious damage done.

—Yesterday's Era mentions a slippery young man named E. E. Vincent who claimed to be an agent for Caffery & Co., of Altoona, Pa., and was roping in the denizens of Lewis Run. He secured about 30 orders for suits and in most cases received a cash guarantee, besides borrowing money. He has departed for parts unknown and Lewis Run mourns his departure

—Why not use Gifford's upper mill and make a power house of it? This town needs better light. True we have the Welsbach light but it is too expensive. It has been found that an incandescent lamp can be had for a little more than ½ cent a day and the absence of heat in the summer would be very advantageous. This would be a paying investment for some of our business men

—Mr Wilson the organist and choir master of St. Luke's church has decided to remain in that position until Easter also teaching in Olean, Bradford and Ridgway. Our musical friends will be gratified to learn of this arrangement as Mr Wilson has no superior in this section as an instructor of music. They should take advantage of the opportunities offered while he remains by taking lessons.

—Herman Tull is a general favorite with the base ball fans at Lyons and from the reports that reach us in regard to his twirling he richly deserves all the credit that can be given him. In a recent issue of a Lyons newspaper it stated that Tull was justly entitled to the prefix invincible. This is welcome news to Herman's many admirers in this place and it is their great desire to see him in speedy company next year

—Burgess P. D. Hopkins and family have moved to Kane, where that gentleman will soon go into business. Mr Hopkins has conducted a general store here for a number of years and built up an excellent trade. Last spring he sold his business to Wm Hafner. Mr Hopkins was elected Burgess in 1894. We are sorry to lose such good citizens and wish them all the happiness and prosperity they can desire in their new home

The Irish Hollow giants made it "dead" last Sunday to the defeat they suffered at the hands of the Ormsby champions early in the season. The giants were backed by a large crowd of friends and admirers, drove up to Ormsby and trimmed the lads of that greasy hamlet by a score of 15 to 10. From the start until the seventh inning it looked like a walk away for Ormsby but at this stage of the game the giants donned their batting clothes and "bumped the pig" in a very liberal manner. The features of the game are too numerous to mention

—David Decker a farmer who resides on the Hatch and Call farm on the west side of Silver Lake made a discovery of a gold mine in one of his lots a few days ago. He noticed one of his colts playing with a cloth and the ground strewn with glittering objects. Investigation showed he had found a whole stock of valuable jewelry over $100 worth. There were dozens of chains pins bracelets rings, etc scattered about the field promiscuously. He gathered up the stock and put himself in communication with the authorities at once and steps have been taken to find the owner of what is evidently the result of some burglary.—Olean Ledger

—Last Saturday night during a drunken brawl in what is known as the Whitechapel district just outside of the city limits of Bradford an Italian with cannibalistic propensities attempted to chew Mrs. Nathan Hultz' nose. The husband of the woman came upon the scene at this time when the dago drew a revolver and fired four shots into the arms legs and body of Hultz also firing once at the woman but fortunately for her inflicting only a scalp wound. The dago made his escape. None of the wounds received by Hultz are dangerous. From the meager description given of the murderous Italian his capture will be a matter of considerable difficulty. The Hultz family seem to be reticent about discussing the matter. Evidently something is being kept back from the authorities.

It is with sadness and regret for our beautiful town that the MINER feels compelled to produce the following facts. Last Saturday night as the Bolivar ball team was driving down Main street on their way home two miscreants, we cannot call them men, were seen standing on the side walk at the corner of Hill and Main streets. Just as the wagon came opposite where they were standing they threw stones striking some of the occupants of the rig, and then the dastards ran away. Some of the ball team jumped out and gave pursuit, but were unable to overtake them in the darkness. It is to be hoped that the people of Bolivar will not lay this disgraceful proceeding against the citizens of our town. The MINER respectfully asks the aid of all the lovers of justice to assist in ferreting out these outlaws and if discovered see that they receive their just dues.

—One of the most portentous items of foreign news which has been flashed over the cable to these shores is that of the decree of Dame Fashion that in the future the uncompressed waist of the Greek Aphrodite is to be the standard of fashionable beauty. The fashionmakers of Paris, whose edict is the law to all womankind, have decreed that the female waist measure must be increased three or four inches. There is no doubt whatever that the revolutionizing bicycle is responsible for the threatened innovation. Freedom of movement was to be essential by the fair riders of Paris when a-wheel, and this could not be optained without loosening the corsets, and having once experienced the delights of their new freedom from the tyrannical grip of stays and whalebones they have insisted upon having all of their gowns fitted to the relaxed bicycle corset, says an exchange

—Thursday night of last week Lester Prouty displayed an act of patriotism that speaks well for the old veteran. About eleven o'clock that night four hoodlums were walking down Main street in front of the Grand Central when one of them grabbed some of the bunting that was used in decorating the store of W. H. Olmsted tearing it from its fastenings and trailing it along the walk. Lester seized hold of the end and told them they should not tear down the American flag while he was by to defend it as he had fought for it many times. The four prowlers immediately made a charge on the old veteran. He had a small stick in his hand and he nobly defended himself against the united onslaught of the four brutes. Lester Prouty is deserving of a gold medal for his bravery in standing up for the stars and stripes whose bright colors have been saturated with the blood of America's heroic sons on many a hard fought battle field.

"Tell me not in mournful numbers,
Life is but an idle dream."
But take a sneak down to the bakery
And get a glass of Soda Cream.

Campaign Hats and Caps at Lindholm & Co's.

—Last Saturday night Comrade Wright and his estimable better half, assisted by their daughters, gave a party to about forty of their friends in honor of their guests from Philadelphia, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rasch and Mr and Mrs. Charles Wilcley, that will be long remembered by all who participated. Such little gatherings add a charm to life and make us feel thankful that we have lived to enjoy the meetings. All whom were there assembled unite in wishing the visitors a safe return to their homes, and that they may be able to return next year to the Bucktail reunion here

—"Great excitement prevailed" in the vicinity of the Erie railroad station at East Bradford yesterday. Several women congregated on the track below the station and after indulging in a spirited argument relative to the affairs of their neighbors they mixed up in a free-for-all fight. No holds or blows were barred and hair pulling was one of the features of the affair. While the women were fighting several small boys stationed themselves at a safe distance and jollied things along by hurling stones at the women. The fight lasted for several minutes and was witnessed by a small but enthusiastic audience.—Thursday's Era.

BUCKTAIL REUNION

A Grand Time For the Old Veterans Emporium in Gala Day Attire.

Tuesday evening, August 25, the first contingent of "Bucks" arrived and head quarters were opened by the "Little Orderly" and "Ass't Secretary" at the Warner House. From that time every train brought in the old veterans and their friends until the hotels were filled. At the depots the reception committees were kept busy with their band receiving guests. The business meeting was called to order at 1 o'clock Wednesday in the Opera House. Comrade B. F. Wright of this place was elected President, John A. Wolf of Patten Pa, Vice President, E. A. Irvin of Curwinsville Treasurer, W. H. Rasch, Philadelphia, Secretary. In the evening the opera house was packed by an immense throng. The Bucktails were welcomed by Capt. J. C. Johnson, to which Col W. W. Brown of Bradford responded. This was followed by brief addresses from Gen Roy Stone, Col E. A. Irvine, W. H. Rasch, Capt. L. M. Louxa and others. Thursday opened with the final session of the business meeting, the most important episode being the selection of next meeting place. Kennet Square and Homestead had warm friends but Smethport landed the fish and it is here that the "Bucks" will assemble next year. It is hoped that ... as royal an entertainment as our sister town Emporium, last this year. The executive committee for the year consists of A. W. Colegrove Chairman, Sheldon Jewett, Custer City, W. W. Brewer, Mt Jewett, Thomas H Ryan Smethport and S. A. Rice Eldred. A very large parade of fire departments, civic societies, G. A. R. and Bucktails marched over a long route bringing up at the court house which could not hold half the people demanding admission and where a fine address was delivered by Congressman W. A. Stone of Pittsburg which was highly appreciated by all present. In the evening the festivities were brought to a close by a ball at the opera house at which 400 guests were seated at one time. This scene was one that was an inspiring one and not only the Bucktails themselves, but all who participated pronounced the banquet the most perfect and best regulated affair that any of them had ever attended and right here it is proper to state that this is the only instance where the Emporiumites showed their disloyalty and that was by attempting to wipe out the Bucktail organization by overfeeding. But they are entirely forgiven. Emporium was beautifully decorated, ten large arches spanned the streets and the business ... and private residences were all gayly decorated with the national colors. The MINER man has conversed with several old veterans who attended the reunion and their testimony is that words fail them in attempting to describe the entertainment that was provided for them and they requested the MINER to tender the good people of Emporium their heartfelt thanks for their reception

The Smethport Entertainment Association

Last Monday night there was quite a gathering at the office of Bouton and Gallup. The meeting was for the purpose of permanently organizing for a lecture course during the winter. At a previous meeting D. C. Young was elected President and F. D. Gallup Secretary. President Young called the meeting to order and the secretary read the minutes of the previous meeting which were approved. On motion made and carried the name of society will be The Smethport Entertainment Association. Mr Gallup then presented the by laws of the order which after some slight changes were adopted. Then came the question of the board of management. It was finally agreed that this board should consist of nine members and the following were chosen: President D. C. Young, Vice President Miss Mary Brennan, Secretary F. D. Gallup, Treasurer Mrs John Apple, E. R. Mayo, Dr H. I. McCoy, W. P. Eckels, Mrs. F. A. Morrison and Mrs Warley Gifford. The association starts off with a membership of over sixty. If the program is successfully carried out (and of that there is no question) the residents of Smethport and vicinity will have the privilege of enjoying a excellent lectures. Every member should make it an object to do all in his or her power to make a success of the enterprise.

Concert, Sept. 17.

One of the finest musical treats of the season is in course of preparation by Mrs. Adelaide Sanborn to be given in the Methodist church, Smethport, Pa., Thursday evening Sept. 17. Geo. Hiscox of Brooklyn, N. Y. Henry Hiscox, of Clifton Springs, N. Y., Mrs. Carpenter of Mt. Jewett and Mrs. Brothers, a skilled organist of Olean, N. Y., are the outside talent who will render assistance, together with some of our best local talent. Remember the date, Sept. 17

Rev Mark Mirsery a Dunkard minister of Deckers Point, Pa., says he can recommend Chamberlain's Pain Balm to anyone in need of a good liniment, and that he considers it the best he has ever used. Pain Balm is especially valuable for rheumatism, lame back, sprains, swellings, cuts, bruises, burns and scalds. It is one of the most remarkable remedies in existence, and its effects will both surprise and delight you. For sale at 25 and 50 cents per bottle by A. B. Armstrong & Co.

Electric Bitters.

Electric Bitters is a medicine suited for any season, but perhaps more generally needed when the languid exhausted feeling prevails, when the liver is torpid and sluggish and the need of a tonic and alterative is felt. A prompt use of this medicine has often averted long and perhaps fatal bilious fevers. No medicine will act more surely in counteracting and freeing the system from the malarial poison. Headache, indigestion, constipation, dizziness yield to Electric Bitters. 50c and $1.00 per bottle at A. W. Colegrove's and A. B. Armstrong & Co's drug stores.

When beyond the reach of doctors and drug stores, a box of Ayer's Pills in your pocket may prove a godsend. Remember this.

SOCIETY AND PERSONAL.

John Gardner visited Kane Monday.

Dr. Burg Chadwick visited St. Marys yesterday.

E. L. Keenan visited the oil metropolis yesterday.

Editor Gould of Eldred came up Monday on business.

Sheriday Gorton transacted business in Kane yesterday

W H Morrison went to Erie last Friday on a business trip

John Bloomster of Bloomster Hollow was in town Monday

E R Mayo and John Apple were in Bradford Wednesday.

Mrs John Forrest returned from Buffalo last Wednesday night

Mr and Mrs J W Bouton visited Cambridgeboro last Friday

W C Henry and G C Cable came over from Bradford Monday

John Mal'er, our popular tailor, transacted business in Bradford Monday

Miss Belle Buton, Bradford's sweet soprano, was in town yesterday

Ralph Burdick and wife visited in Port Allegany the first of the week

Mr and Mrs Dan Handley of Ormsby visited Coudersport over Sunday

W J Weston and S M Orr of Kane were in town on business Monday

Carl Wolford of Port Allegany was a pleasant caller at this office on Saturday last

Miss Louis Boshan of Emporium spent the week visiting with Mrs E R Mayo

I I Knapp visited his daughter, Mrs W. K. Galson, in Bradford yesterday

Hugh Boyd, the popular boniface from Clermont, was greeting friends in town Monday

M S Sibley, a noted ball tosser, from Brockwayville was a pleasant caller yesterday

Dep t Sheriff Davis enjoyed a pleasant trip through parts of Potter county the first of the week

Miss Lucy Wright departed yesterday for Fredonia where she goes to resumes her studies

Mrs Adelaide Jordan of Buffalo has been the guest of A F Brown, at East Smethport, for several days

Rev J W Sanborn will deliver his lecture on the Indians at the First M E. church at Olean to night

Mr and Mrs F W Brownell and Mr and Mrs W F Specht visited friends on Tuna Creek Sunday

Mrs Lambert Daley of Oakdale, Ia., was a guest of her sister in law Mrs N H Knapp during the week

Albert Lawrence of Buffalo, connected with the railway mail service, spent Sunday in town the guest of friends

C H Burlingame went to Kane yesterday where he has secured a job on some of the buildings being erected there

Mrs M R McCulley of Mt. Jewett and Mrs W. E. Smith of Coleville were callers at the MINER office on Saturday last

Mrs Charles Gleason of Ceres and her sister Miss Orra Williams visited Miss A. B. Armstrong and other friends last week

Misses Bertha Hall and ... Brown of Port Allegany spent Sunday in town with friends. They left on Monday for Clarion

Miss F. E. Cannell of Fort Plains, N. Y., and Miss Helen Edgett of Bradford were guests of Sheriff Walker and family over Sunday

Miss Ida Simmons of Benning who has been the guest of James Harriman and wife for some time past, returned to her home on Tuesday

Next Tuesday E. R. Mayo F. D. Gallup and Lucius McKean will visit Erie to attend the convention of the Republican leagues of the State

W H Olmsted wheeled to Brockway ... Jefferson Co last Sunday and returned home the same day making a distance of 115 miles

Conductor George Whack departed for Wellsville Tuesday morning to spend his vacation. In his absence Peter McCabe carries the ticket punch

Judge Henry Hamlin departed for Muskoka Lake Ontario Can., last week, where he will join Mrs Hamlin and his daughter Mrs Howard Merrill, of Geneva

Rev J Heber McCandless visited Buffalo Monday. He went to purchase the furniture for the new chapel at Eldred which, by the way, he pronounces a very fine building

James Gilfillan and daughter, Miss Rachel, of Nebraska, Forest Co., Pa., who were here on a visit to his son, Alba J. Gilfillan, returned to their home the first of the week

Seth J Gifford bade adieu to his friends last Saturday and took his departure for the Adirondacks where he has extensive lumber interests. He will be absent about three weeks

O D Bush and M N Allen drove to Olean Saturday to see Mr Bryan. They came back more firmly grounded for McKinley's sound money and good government than ever

This paragraph is put into type by the "Little Orderly" who was a visitor at the MINER office in company with his friends Charles Wiley of Philadelphia, Al Colegrove and the newly elected President of the old Bucktails, B. Frank Wright

Miss M. D. Folger of Geneva, N. Y., has been the guest of Mrs J. Heber McCandless for a few days. Miss Folger is a granddaughter of Judge Folger who ran against Cleveland for governor in 1884

Mr and Mrs B D Christley, Mrs E Scanion and Miss Bessie Scanion of Coleville returned from a two weeks visit with friends in Westfield, Corry and other points Tuesday. Mr and Mrs Christley stopped here to witness the ball game Wednesday

C. A. Root cashier of the State bank at Bolivar was a visitor to the hub last Saturday. He came over with the ball team. Mr Root is a gentleman of fine appearance and good address and fine business qualifications, and his prospects in life are of the brightest. It is to be hoped that he will make many visits to our pleasant town

William English, of Wellsboro, a member of the famous old Bucktail Reg't attended the reunion at Emporium last week, and then journeyed to the hub and was the guest of the MINER man over Sunday. Mr English shows the effects of years spent in the service, his hair being somewhat tinged with gray. He would make an excellent representation of Denman Thompson in the old homestead

It is not unusual for druggists to recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to their customers. Many of them have used it themselves, or in their families and know from personal experience its great value in the treatment of coughs, colds and croup. They know too that their customers are their best friends and naturally wish to give them the most reliable medicine they have for these ailments. Messrs Dougherty Bros. prominent druggists of Indiana, Pa., say, "We sell more of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy than of any other cough syrup, and always take pleasure in recommending to our customers." Mr H M Urey, the popular druggist at Fredonia, Pa. who has sold Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for several years, says, "I can truly say that it is the best cough medicine in the market. For sale at 25 and 50 cents per bottle by A. B. Armstrong & Co.

Children Must Be Vaccinated.

SMETHPORT, PA., Aug 31

TO THE EDITOR.—Your paper will render a public service by calling the attention of those interested to the fact that the State law demands the vaccination of all children attending the public schools. It is not left discretionary, but it is made compulsory under a penalty, and the State Board of Health has directed me to call attention to the matter, which I take this means of doing.

Very Respectfully,
BURG CHADWICK, M. D.,
County Medical Inspector.

Jesse L. Test, Esq., an old resident and highly respected citizen of our town, called this morning and after purchasing a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, said: "If anyone asks you if this remedy will do what is claimed for it, tell them yes, and refer them to me." H. Alexander Stoke, Reynoldsville Pa. No one can doubt the value of this medicine after giving it a fair trial. Then it is pleasant and safe to take, making it especially valuable for children. For sale by A. B. Armstrong & Co.

No appetite? Then do not try to force food down; but use the most scientific means for restoring tone to the stomach. How? Why, by taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and in a surprisingly short time your appetite will come again and come to stay.

We Win From Bolivar and Lose to Westfield.

Saturday's game, Bolivar 6, Smethport 12. The diagram:

SMETHPORT	A B	R	H	P O	A	E
Maher 2b	4	3	1	4	4	1
Fuller 2b p	3	1	1	0	2	0
Helfert p 2b	4	1	0	1	2	1
Bell s s	4	0	1	2	0	2
Sasse lf	4	1	0	0	0	0
Morrison 1b	3	2	1	10	0	1
White r f	4	1	0	1	0	1
Young, R. c f	3	2	2	0	0	0
Young, T c	4	1	3	9	4	0
Totals	34	12	11	27	19	5

BOLIVAR	A B	R	H	P O	A	E
Geo. Stohr lf	4	1	0	0	1	0
Ward ss	4	2	2	1	3	0
Brady c	4	1	0	8	0	2
R. Stohr 3b	5	0	0	0	3	0
Herrick cf	5	1	2	1	0	1
Jordan 1b	5	1	1	11	0	0
Brannen 2b	4	0	0	2	6	0
Fred Stohr rf	1	0	0	0	1	0
Jones p	4	0	2	0	3	0
Totals	39	6	7	24	17	3

Smethport	2	0	1	3	2	2	2	0	x—12
Bolivar	1	1	0	0	0	1	3	0	0—6

Earned runs—Smethport 3, Bolivar 1.
Home Run—Ward.
Three base hit—T Young
Two base hits—R. Young Ward
Struck out—by Helfert 6, Fuller 4, Jones 3.
Hit by pitcher—by Seifert 1, Jones 2.
Double play—Ward to Brannen to Jordan.
Stolen bases—Seifert, Sasse, Brady, Jones, G. Stohr.
Passed balls—Young 2, Brady 2.
Wild pitch—Helfert.
Time of game—2 10
Umpire—Peirce.

Wednesday Westfield scored 20 runs while we scored 4, as follows.

SMETHPORT	A B	R	H	P O	A	E
Maher, 3b	4	1	1	1	1	2
Fuller 2b	5	1	1	1	4	0
Seifert, p	3	1	1	0	2	2
Sibley 1	1	0	0	1	5	1
Bell ss	4	0	1	1	0	1
Keefer 1b	1	1	1	15	0	1
Sasse, lf	4	0	0	2	0	0
White r f	4	0	0	1	0	0
R. Young, cf	4	0	2	1	0	0
T Young, c	4	0	3	5	0	0
Totals	36	4	10	27	14	10

WESTFIELD	A B	R	H	P O	A	E
Sorber 1b	4	3	1	12	0	1
McFall, p	5	3	3	0	7	1
Foster, ss	6	2	2	1	4	0
O'Hara cf	6	1	1	6	5	0
Kress, 2b	6	1	1	0	1	0
Sticker, 3b	6	2	1	0	1	0
Lehmen, c	4	3	0	1	0	0
Hopper lf	5	3	3	0	0	1
Fitch, rf	6	3	3	0	0	0
Totals	47	20	15	20*	15	3

*Fuller out for not running.

Westfield	0	0	0	3	0	4	0	3	10—20
Smethport	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0—4

Earned runs—Smethport 3 Westfield 5.
Home run—Hopper
Three base hits—McFall, O'Hara.
Two base hits—Maher, Fuller, R. Young, McFall, Hopper
Sacrifice hits—Bell, McFall, Foster, Lehman,
Base on balls—off Seifert 2, Sibley 4, McFall 2
Struck out—by Seifert 3 Sibley 1, McFall 1.
Double plays—Foster to Kress to Sorber 3.
Hit by pitcher—by Seifert 1.
Passed balls—Young 4
Stolen bases—Fuller, Seifert, Bell, Keefer, O Hara 2 Sticker
Umpire—J E Mullin

AROUND THE COUNTY.

Interesting News From Various Localities Picked up by Our Regular Correspondents

ANNIN CREEK

J S Hodges was in Port Allegany Friday

Several of our citizens were called to Smethport on important business last week

Herman Tubbs was ... from Herrick City the forepart of the week

Will Corwin and daughter, Nora, came over from Red Rock Saturday, returning Monday

Mr Dana and wife, of Little Genesee, have been visiting at I. B. Winship's lately

D C Winship has gone to Steuben county to spend a couple of weeks,

Frank Wood and wife, of Rixford, made a short visit in this place last week.

T Barton and wife drove over from Rixford Saturday. Mrs Barton's mother went with them on their return

Frank Holcomb and cousin, Anna Holcomb, visited in Coudersport the first of the week

Lef, Mae and Alberta Winship went to Port Allegany to commence school Monday

D C Winship, Frank Holcomb and Harry Evans attended the Allegany River Baptist Association at Ulysses

Mrs J W Tubbs is in Friendship, where she will spend a week or two with her sister, Mrs G. M Knapp

Ralph Cooper returned from a trip to Friendship Monday

Miss Emma Spencer has been engaged to teach our school, which will commence next Monday

James Wood and wife stopped in this place on their return from the reunion at Emporium. Mrs Wood will spend a week or so with friends in this place

PRENTISSVALE & DUKE CENTRE.

Quite a large crowd went from Prentissvale and Duke Centre to attend the reunion at Smethport last week

The U B Sunday School picnicked at Henry Southard's grove on Wednesday last. All report having had a good time

Mr Reilly has his mason work completed for our new bridge across Knapps creek and we are anxiously waiting for the other party to complete the iron work, as it is very inconvenient in its present state

Earnest Straight and sister, Orpha, enjoyed a day's outing on Wednesday of last week with the Methodist people of Duke Centre, who held a picnic at Riverhurst.

Mrs. James Briggs was visiting friends at Smethport and Potato creek last week, She also took in the G A R. reunion at Smethport on Thursday

Mrs. Eva Churs is visiting her sister, Mrs. F Lovejoy

We hope the supervisor will get a hustle on and finish up our new bridge

We are in much need of rain here as the roads are very dusty here at the present time.

Mr and Mrs. Rob t Sheehan and daughter, Lula, visited Mrs. Sheehan's mother, Mrs. A. Bardon on Sunday last.

Prentissvale school will commence next Monday conducted by Miss Eva Wilmouth, of Larabee. This will be her second term here

Remedy for Flies on Cattle.

Take coal tar two parts and coal oil and grease one part each and mix with a small amount of carbolic acid. Apply with a cloth by moistening the hair and horns of the animal with the liquid. In the application include feet and legs, and it will drive every fly away, and one application will last ten days or more in dry weather. Apply as often as necessary and your cows will be entirely secure from flies of all kinds. Any kind of old lard or grease can be used. Coal tar is the base of this remedy, and when too thick to spread well use more coal oil; when too thin to adhere well, use more coal tar. Carbolic acid will cost about 50 or 60 cents in crystals by the pound, and every farmer should always keep it on hand, as it, in its many uses, is indispensable. This remedy is equally effective as a lice exterminator on poultry, and is used simply by painting the sides of the hennery and roosts and dropping boards with the liquid. For young chickens saturate a cloth and place in the bottom of a box, and place the mother and young chickens in the box for an hour or so. This recipe, says H. F. Work in the Drainage Journal, is equal to any preparation in the market.

How's This!

We offer One Hundred Dollars reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.
F. J. CHENEY & CO, Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.

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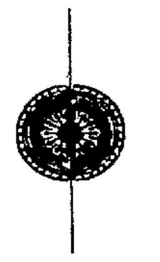

between cheap shoes and shoes cheap. The former is false economy—the latter true. Don't forget there's as much evil in paying too little as paying too much. The motto of some stores is, "not how cheap, but how good." The motto of some other is, "not how good, but how cheap." Our motto is, "Good and Cheap." We are closing out our Tan Shoes at a big reduction and if you want a pair at a low price come along pretty quick.

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Another stomach trouble is that form of dyspepsia which gives pain after eating. Persons with this disease seem to have but a scant measure of nerve strength, when food is being digested, the stomach needs the concentration of all of the nerve and brain force, and if reading or close thought is attempted soon after eating the stomach commences that intolerable aching which dyspeptics dread so much, when, the only immediate relief appears to be to stop the mental activity and get up and move around. In such cases there is evidently for the time being, too little nerve power to divide between the stomach and the brain each one alone needs it all to enable it to perform its labor.

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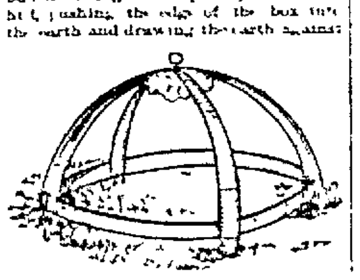
For killing insects on melon or cucumber vines procure some tight boxes, such as sound cheese boxes, large enough to cover the vines. Tack a bunch of rags large enough to hold, say an ounce of the liquid without dripping in the bottom. When ready gather the runners in so they can all be covered with the inverted box. Saturate the bunch of rags and quickly cover the hill, pushing the edge of the box into the earth and drawing the earth against



CYLINDRICAL COVER.

the outside edge where any vapor would otherwise have a chance to escape. All the bugs will be killed in half an hour and the rags can have a little more liquid and the box transferred to another hill. Whatever is used as a cover had better not be much larger than necessary to cover the vines, as it will take more liquid to make a death atmosphere. If one has many vines to treat it may be best to provide a good number of covers. Anything that will cover the vines and keep the vapor in will do, and if one has other work to do near by a few covers will enable a person to treat a good many hills in a day, says the writer of the foregoing in a letter to Ohio Farmer.

The illustration represents a home-made cover which the authority quoted also describes. Take a barrel hoop, cut it in two and fasten the pieces at right angles [illegible] with others by making a hole with a brad [illegible] and inserting a screw [illegible] with the [illegible] the [illegible] used [illegible] for [illegible]. Spring the [illegible] wanted [illegible] and [illegible] string around [illegible] hoop. Then [illegible] with paper [illegible] inside. [illegible] over with paper [illegible] was turning the paper [illegible] inside or outside [illegible] would [illegible]

A handful of rags [illegible] the bugs [illegible] the range of [illegible] Any [illegible] carried [illegible] This [illegible] newspapers [illegible] paste [illegible] much [illegible] of [illegible] the [illegible] of [illegible]

Importation of Texas Cattle

[illegible] the Texas [illegible] Kansas City [illegible] for immediate slaughter [illegible] but they must be held [illegible] quarantine awaiting [illegible]

A Simple Bordeaux Mixture

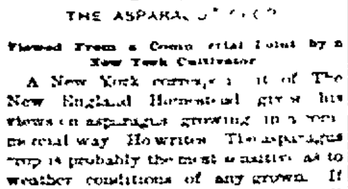
Rural New Yorker asks: Why not simplify the directions for making [illegible] stock [illegible] pound [illegible] water [illegible]

Phosphate Deposits in Pennsylvania.

A bulletin from [illegible] state experiment station [illegible] in Juniata county [illegible] the same vicinity. There is present a mass of rich phosphate that can be easily worked.

For Binding Wheat

Last season The Farm Implement News gave considerable space to an account of a trial of a [illegible] grass twine which took place [illegible]



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grass twine according to a description given in the Rural New Yorker [illegible] a new [illegible] grass or [illegible] about as large as a clothesline [illegible] large spool-like [illegible] back under the driver's seat, and in the trials mentioned unwound readily and held the bundles. The hope is expressed that this grass twine will still further cheapen the cost of harvesting wheat.

THE ASPARAGUS CROP.

Viewed From a Commercial Point by a New York Cultivator.

A New York correspondent of The New England Homestead gives his views on asparagus growing in a commercial way. He writes: The asparagus crop is probably the most sensitive as to weather conditions of any grown. If the weather is cold and dry it will make but a feeble, slow growth. On the contrary, if warm, with frequent showers, the plant will come on rapidly. Last year the latter condition on Long Island prevailed very early in the season, some two weeks before the canners were ready to commence packing. The result was that nearly a third of the crop had to be shipped to New York and other markets, causing such a glut that in many cases it did not pay expense of shipment. When the canners were ready to take it, the dry weather set in, so that not much, if any, more than half an average crop was put up.

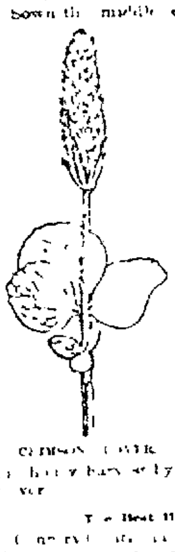
The same condition prevails this year, only much earlier, so the growth commenced before the beds were ridged up. The two factories, the one at Riverhead and the other at Mattituck, take nearly all grown in this famous asparagus section. The price paid the grower this year is $9 per 100 bunches for No. 1 and $4 for culls. The latter is cut short and put up as "tips," which retail at about one-third less than the first quality, which is put up in square boxes. The tips are packed in round cans and sell as second quality, when, in reality, the asparagus is much better than the first quality.

The question is often asked, Is asparagus a profitable crop? That depends upon circumstances. At the present price which the canners pay, $9 per 100 bunches, [illegible] than potatoes [illegible] With good cultivation [illegible] is 2,500 bunches per acre, and the cost for labor is no more than for an acre of potatoes. The best growers apply a ton of high grade fertilizer annually per acre, one-half early in the spring and one-half after plowing the ridge down in July. If the cost of labor is the same as for an acre of potatoes, the relative cost of production can be easily determined. Some growers say it is three times as much work to take care of a given acreage of asparagus as of potatoes. Admitting it, the relative cost is easily ascertained.

While at the present price the crop is a profitable one, this is by no means certain. The growers are in the hands of the canners and must take what they are disposed to give, as there is no other market. We are told the [illegible] the plants [illegible] from the fact that [illegible] Asparagus, like strawberries, must be sold as soon as cut because of its perishable nature, and there [illegible] that it is not possible [illegible] fresh. This was [illegible] last year when during [illegible] was being cut [illegible] the canners contract only [illegible] handle between May 1 and [illegible] packing about 6,000 cans per day.

Experiment With Crimson Clover

Sown the middle of August on the writer's experiment plot, commenced blooming the 1st of May and ripened its seed early in June. For four weeks the honey bees hummed joyously over its beautiful blossoms. Wherever it can be grown crimson clover is a honey plant of great value. It is the first of all the clovers to bloom. Where the beekeeper has white clover or alsike clover he can add one month at least to the length of the honey harvest by a field of crimson clover.



CRIMSON CLOVER.

The Best Hay Caps.

[illegible] Perhaps the cheapest [illegible] hay caps is made of [illegible] muslin, [illegible] yards [illegible]

[illegible] CREAMERY

The First [illegible] Better Than [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] one thing to dispose of [illegible] A fastidious customer will [illegible] cents per pound for butter [illegible] than 15 cents for butter [illegible] While all dairymen [illegible] the value of their milk by [illegible] test, experience is necessary [illegible] to accurately test milk. Creamery makers, when the test is used, can be relied upon to do this satisfactorily [illegible] individual cows, when [illegible] milk quality is below [illegible] wish to locate the [illegible]—George F. Newell in American Cultivator.

No Hollow Horn, No Wolf in the Tail.

No. There are not any such diseases as hollow horn and wolf in the tail, only in the minds of very ignorant persons. Times have changed. Intelligence is predominant, and witchcraft, flogging barrels of cider for working on Sunday and hollow horn, etc. are gone, and gone forever.

The conditions referred to are the result of various diseases and not in themselves diseases.—Hoard's Dairyman.

A Voice from the Killer

The editor of a leading State writes: "If you had seen my wife last June and were to see her to-day you would not believe she was the same woman. Then she was broken down by nervous debility and suffered terribly from constipation and sick headache. Bacon's Celery King for the Nerves made her a well woman in one month." A. W. Colegrove, Smethport, L. M. Benson, Coleman, [illegible] Stickney, Newell. Large size 25 and 50 cents.

If you have ever seen a little child in [illegible] of summer complaint, you can realize the danger of the trouble and appreciate the value of instantaneous relief always afforded by DeWitt's Colic & Cholera Cure. For dysentery and diarrhœa it is a reliable remedy. We could not afford to recommend this as a cure unless it were a cure. A. W. Colegrove, [illegible] Stickney, East Smethport.

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GEMS FROM McKINLEY.

Terse Truths from the Candidate's Great Letter of Acceptance.

EFFECT OF CHEAP MONEY.

The Debasement of the Currency Means Destruction of Values.

THINGS IT WOULD NOT DO.

It Would Not Make Labor Easier, the Hours of Labor Shorter or Pay Better. It Would Not Start a Factory or Make a Demand for an Additional Day's Labor. It Would Not Make Farming More Profitable.

The letter of acceptance penned by Major McKinley is full of terse sentences. Single [illegible] of the [illegible] are sometimes overlooked in the perusal of a long document. We [illegible] out a few of these nuggets and give them separately.

Debasement of the currency means destruction of values.

The owner of the silver bullion would get the silver dollar. It would belong to him and to nobody else.

It is a mere pretense to attribute the hard times to the fact that all our currency is on a gold basis. Good money never made times hard.

It would destroy all existing values. It would restore [illegible] but its [illegible] would be to destroy the little [illegible] yet remains.

The government would get nothing from the transaction. It would bear the expense of coining the silver and the community would suffer loss by its use.

If there is any one thing which should be free from speculation and fluctuation it is the money of a country. It ought never to be the subject of mere partisan contention.

When we part with our labor, our products or our property we should receive in return money which is as stable and unchanging in value as the ingenuity of honest men can make it.

[illegible]

[illegible] the wage earner [illegible]

[illegible] honorable people despising the demagogue and never capitulating to dishonor.

Those who assert that our present industrial and financial depression is the result of the gold standard have not read American history aright or been careful students of the events of recent years. We never had greater prosperity in this country in every field of employment and industry than in the busy years from 1880 to 1892, during all of which time this country was on a gold basis and employed more gold money in its fiscal and business operations than ever before. We had too, a protective tariff under which ample revenues were collected for the government and an accumulating surplus which was constantly applied to the payment of the public debt.

PROPERTY AND INDUSTRY.

Property is the fruit of labor. Property is desirable, is a positive good in the world. That some should be rich shows that others may become rich, and hence is encouragement to industry and enterprise. Let no man who is homeless pull down the house of another, but let him work diligently and build one for himself, thus, by example, assuring that his own shall be safe from violence when it is built.—ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

The Workingman's Welfare.

The workingman will certainly show little interest in his own welfare, if he votes for any party which proposes to give him a 53 cent dollar for a dollar's worth of his labor.

Don't trifle away time when you have cholera morbus or diarrhœa. Fight them in the beginning with DeWitt's Colic & Cholera Cure. You don't have to wait for results, they are instantaneous, and it leaves the bowels in a healthy condition. A. W. Colegrove, Smethport, A. E. Stickney, East Smethport.

[illegible] Get Dr. Miles' Pain Pills [illegible] one cent a dose.

[illegible] to pile up a rousing majority in Pennsylvania.

NO WORKINGMAN who is true to himself and his family will fail to insist on having gold or its equivalent for his daily toil. A cheaper dollar would cheat him.

THE more the presidential nominee of three free coinage parties endeavors to talk silver up to a ratio of 16 to 1 with gold the further the white metal sinks towards a parity with copper and coal. Speech being silver Bryan only adds to the over production of that metal every time he opens his mouth and the law of supply and demand does the rest.

MR. BRYAN says coin would not come from the silver countries here because it would be needed at home. It would certainly come if it was worth $1.29 per ounce here and only 65 cents there and if we suppose it raised to the former price in China and Mexico we get back to the old paradox that we can double the price of anything by taking one sixteenth of the amount and putting it in another pile.

WORKINGMEN of the country are beginning to see the danger to them of free silver. They hear little of increased wages, but much of increased prices. It will take just as much toil, just as much hard work to earn a 50 cent dollar, or a dollar that will buy half as much as now, as it does the dollar of today. Workingmen are not going to be deceived. They want the mills opened rather than the mints.—Everett Dispatch.

SENATOR TILLMAN made a speech the other day at an agricultural fair at Mt. Gretna in the course of which he referred to Mr. Cleveland as "the bag of beef now in the White House," declared that "we will spew him out of our mouths," described bankers as Pierpont Morgan's gang of ghouls, and advised his audience unless their party was going to do what was right to tell it to "go to the devil." The audience does not seem to have been taken with this style of oratory and there were shouts of "No" when a vote of thanks was proposed. It is strange that Sen. Tillman should not see that any audience will resent such stuff based as it is on the assumption that they are all as low as he is.

THE more we think about Mr. Bryan's campaign the more forcibly we are reminded of the late Mr. Barnum's methods of [illegible] Bryan loses no opportunity [illegible] he goes out [illegible] publicity. [illegible] this is something not altogether edifying in the spectacle of a candidate for president being [illegible] exhibited [illegible] both [illegible] things in their way. Mr. [illegible] through the [illegible]

[illegible] that when Bryan [illegible] 31 cents an ounce. Why don't they turn in then and buy silver [illegible] half the price to which they say it will advance? They can't [illegible] wealthy [illegible] What a [illegible] they would [illegible] [illegible] what they say they [illegible] silver offered.

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We Want Employment.

We want [illegible] not more [illegible]

[illegible] States treasury contains [illegible] which weigh [illegible] It would require 110 teams [illegible] to transport this silver. All with fifty feet to each team [illegible] would make a [illegible] to Philadelphia.

[illegible] as much silver in circulation and in the banks in the country as there is in the United States treasury.

There is no scarcity of either silver or gold [illegible] silver and [illegible] employment for the laborer so he can earn it fairly.

[illegible] McKinley [illegible] that this [illegible] and [illegible] vital may [illegible] Hazleton Sentinel.

A Busy Day for Major McKinley

CANTON, O., Aug. 20.—To-day was one of the busiest [illegible] for Mr. McKinley. Five delegations are scheduled to arrive here during the day. The first delegation will be the [illegible] from Chicago, who will be received about 10:30 a. m. Then will come the supreme lodge K. of P. from Cleveland, followed by the [illegible] and later by the German American citizens from Cleveland, a large delegation and the Workingmen's McKinley club from Columbus, Ohio.

Prosperity Coming

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[illegible] Time Tables giving full information [illegible]

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PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

PHILADELPHIA & ERIE DIVISION TIME TABLE. In effect June 21, 1896.

TRAINS LEAVE EMPORIUM JUNCT EASTWARD.

8:25 a. m.—Train 4, daily except Sunday, Sunbury, Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 6:23 p. m., New York 9:33 p. m., Baltimore 6:00 p. m., Washington 7:15 p. m. Pullman Parlor car [illegible] from Williamsport and passenger [illegible] from Kane to Philadelphia.

3:16 p. m.—Train 6, daily except Sunday, for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 4:30 a. m., New York [illegible] a. m. Pullman sleeping cars from Harrisburg to Philadelphia and New York. Philadelphia passengers can remain in sleeper undisturbed until 7:30 a. m.

9:30 p. m.—Train 4, daily for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 6:52 a. m., New York [illegible] a. m., week days (10:38 a. m. Sundays) [illegible] 6:??, a. m., Washington 7:?? a. m. [illegible] sleeping cars from Erie and Williamsport to Philadelphia and passenger cars from [illegible] Philadelphia, and Williamsport to Baltimore. Passengers in sleeper for Baltimore and Washington will be transferred into Washington sleeper at Harrisburg.

WESTWARD

7:25 a. m.—Train 1, daily except Sunday, for Ridgway, DuBois, Clermont and intermediate stations. Leaves Ridgway [illegible] for Erie.

[illegible] a. m.—Train 3, daily for Erie and intermediate stations.

6:05 p. m.—Train 15, daily except Sunday, Kane and intermediate stations.

THROUGH TRAINS for EMPORIUM JUNCTION FROM THE EAST AND SOUTH

Train 1 leaves New York 6:00 p. m. daily except Sunday, arriving at Emporium Jc. [illegible]

Train 15 leaves Philadelphia 8:25 a. m., Washington 7:50 a. m., Baltimore 8:50 a. m., Wilkesbarre 10:15 a. m., daily except Sunday, arriving at Emporium Junction 6:05 p. m., with Pullman Parlor car from Philadelphia to Williamsport and passenger coaches to Kane.

Train 3, leaves New York 8:00 p. m., Philadelphia 11:20 p. m., Washington 10:40 p. m., Baltimore 11:50 p. m., daily arriving at Emporium Junc. 10:25 a.m., with Pullman Palace sleeping cars from Philadelphia to Erie and from Washington and Baltimore to Williamsport and passenger coaches from Philadelphia to Erie.

JOHNSONBURG RAILROAD

Daily except Sunday

NORTH A. M. Lv	STATIONS.	SOUTH Ar. A. M.
9 20	Ridgway	11 00
[illegible]	Johnsonburg	[illegible]
9 41	Bendigo	[illegible]
[illegible]	Glen Hazel	[illegible]
10 06	Straight	[illegible]
10 11	Instanter	[illegible]
[illegible]	Smith's Run	[illegible]
[illegible]	Woodvale	[illegible]
10 35	Clermont	[illegible]

Connections are made with train 1, leaving Johnsonburg at 8.21 p. m. for Erie and intermediate points arriving at Erie at [illegible] also at Ridgway with train 8, leaving Ridgway at [illegible] p. m. for Philadelphia, New York, Baltimore and Washington.

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7.45 a. m.—Buffalo & Rochester Express—For Salamanca, Ellicottville, Springville, Colden, Buffalo, Machias, Gainesville, Silver Springs, Warsaw, LeRoy and Rochester.

2.00 p. m.—Mail—For Salamanca, Ellicottville, Springville, Colden, Buffalo, Machias, Gainesville, Silver Springs, Warsaw, LeRoy, and Rochester.

5.? p. m.—Buffalo Express—Daily. For Limestone, Carrollton, Salamanca, Ellicottville, Springville, Colden and Buffalo.

LEAVE MT. JEWETT—SOUTH BOUND

8.02 a. m.—Accommodation—For Johnsonburgh, Ridgway, Brockwayville, DuBois and Punxsutawney.

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TIME TABLE

Took effect Monday, July 6th, 1896

1	3	5	STATIONS.	2	4	6
am	pm	pm Ar	Lv	am	pm	pm
8.30	[illegible]	2.35	Keating	9.15	[illegible]	[illegible]
8.35	[illegible]	2.16	Cowley June.	9.35	[illegible]	[illegible]
8.30	[illegible]	[illegible]	Austin	10.00	[illegible]	[illegible]
	12.57	6.45	Costello	[illegible]	[illegible]	
	12.41	[illegible]	Wharton	10.44	[illegible]	
	12.30	6.10	Logue	[illegible]	[illegible]	
	[illegible]	[illegible]	Hull	11.35	4.21	
	11.44	5.35	Cross Fork Jc	[illegible]	[illegible]	
	[illegible]	[illegible]	Germania	1.10	5.34	
	10.40	[illegible]	Galeton	[illegible]	[illegible]	
	[illegible]	[illegible]	Gaines	[illegible]	[illegible]	
	9.30	[illegible]	Ansonia	[illegible]	[illegible]	
a m	p m	p m Dp.	Ar.	p m	p m	

H. Hutchinson, Train Master. C. W. Goodyear, Gen'l Manager.

COUDERSPORT & PORT ALLEGANY Railroad Time Table, take effect Monday, [illegible]

AR EASTW'D.			STATIONS.	LV WESTW'D.		
A M	A M	P M		A M	P M	A M
	7 30	2 10	Ulysses	7.45	2.30	[illegible]
	7 21	2 00	Crowell's	7.51	2.40	[illegible]
	7 16	1 53	Perkins	7.54	2.45	[illegible]
	7 13	1 50	Newf'ld Jun't	[illegible]	2.50	[illegible]
	[illegible]	1 42	Gold	8.04	[illegible]	[illegible]
	7 01	1 36	Raymond's	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]	Seven Bridg's	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]	Colesburg	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]	Frink's	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
3.35	7.50	12.55	Coudersport	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]		12.51	Hammond			[illegible]
[illegible]			Fish Basket			[illegible]
[illegible]	7.37	12.46	Olmsted	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Mina	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]		[illegible]	Knowlton	[illegible]		
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Roulette	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Burtville	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]		[illegible]	Coleman	[illegible]		
[illegible]	[illegible]	12.12	Port Allegany	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
P M	P M	P M Dep't.	Arrive A M	P M	P M	

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p. m.	p. m.	a. m.	Stations.	a. m.	a. m.	p. m.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Lv Bradford Ar	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Ormsby Jn.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
6.00	[illegible]	[illegible]	McKeans	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Simpson	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Davis	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Aiken	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Kinzua Jn.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Tarport Hill	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Ar Bradf'd Lv	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Kinzua Br'g	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Mt. Jewett	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Lafayette	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Griffiths	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Kasson	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Greendale	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Ar Kane	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
p. m.	a. m.	a. m.		a. m.	p. m.	p. m.

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JNO. C. McKENNA, Gen. Pas. Agent, Bradford, Pa.

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